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NOVEMBER UNIFORM PRICE \$4.17

Dairy farmers will receive a uniform price of \$4.17 for November 1963 deliveries of Grade A milk to handlers under the South Bend-LaPorte-Elkhart, Indiana, milk order. The uniform price is based upon a butterfat test of 3.5 percent, and will be adjusted by a differential of 7 cents for each one tenth percent that tests vary above or below the 3.5 percent standard. The minimum price is subject to a 4 cent per hundredweight marketing service deduction, together with the authorized hauling charge. This price is 3 cents above the October 1963 uniform price and 7 cents above the price of a year ago.

PRODUCER RECEIPTS

Daily producer receipts are about $1\frac{1}{2}$ percent higher than they were in October 1963, but are slightly less than they were a year ago. There are 46 less producers on the market now than there were a year ago, and yet they are producing just about the same amount of milk. This fact raises the average daily herd production from 757# in November 1962 to 809# in November 1963, or 52 pounds average per day more. Because of the slight increase in production with the sales staying about the same as the previous month, the Class I utilization of producer milk is down 1.7 percent from October.

CLASS I SALES

Sales of Class I products are exactly the same as they were a year ago and are only one-half percent down from October on a daily average. The most significant change in any one product in Class I from the October sales figures is the whipping cream, which shows an increase of 59 percent when compared with October. This is due to the Thanksgiving Holiday in November. Eggnog sales show almost 34,000 pounds, and will be expected to go much higher in December. However, the over all Class I sales are usually lower in December than in November.

CLASS I PRICE

The Class I price for the December 1963 delivery period will be \$4.28 per hundredweight for 3.5 percent milk. This price was computed by adding \$1.10 per hundredweight to the basic formula price (\$3.16), plus the 2 cent supply-demand adjustment. The supply-demand adjustment for the January 1964 delivery period will be a minus 4 cents.

ORDER NO. 31 PRICES

Class Prices and Uniform Prices Per Cwt. for 3.5% Milk
Average Prices For The Years 1954-1960 And By Months From 1961 To Date

Year and Month	CLASS I			CLASS II		CLASS III	UNIFORM PRICES	
	Differ- ential	Supply Demand	Milk Price	Differ- ential	Milk Price	Milk Price	Milk Price	B.F. Differ- ential
1954	\$ 1.10	\$- .243	\$3.930	\$ --	\$ --	\$2.874	\$3.636	\$.072
1955	1.10	- .134	4.000	--	--	3.018	3.785	.069
1956	1.22	- .049	4.277	--	--	3.118	4.005	.071
1957	1.10	- .177	4.060	.59	3.688	3.126	3.833	.071
1958	1.08	- .118	3.980	.60	3.611	3.009	3.777	.070
1959	1.10	+ .075	4.188	.60	3.608	3.018	3.966	.072
1960	1.10	- .008	4.220	.60	3.720	3.150	3.988	.071
<u>1961</u>								
Jan.	\$ 1.10	\$- .06	\$4.48	\$.70	\$4.14	\$3.42	\$4.26	\$.073
Feb.	1.10	- .02	4.50	.70	4.12	3.24	4.26	.073
Mar.	.90	- .02	4.12	.45	3.69	3.23	3.94	.073
Apr.	.90	- .02	4.11	.45	3.68	3.23	3.91*	.073
May	.90	.00	4.13	.45	3.68	3.19	3.84*	.073
June	.90	+ .02	4.11	--	3.30	3.12	3.76*	.073
July	1.10	+ .02	4.24	--	3.31	3.15	3.95*	.073
Aug.	1.30	- .04	4.41	--	3.33	3.17	4.13	.073
Sept.	1.30	- .06	4.41	--	3.33	3.18	4.16	.073
Oct.	1.30	- .04	4.44	--	3.33	3.19	4.12	.073
Nov.	1.30	+ .02	4.51	--	3.32	3.21	4.22	.073
Dec.	1.10	- .02	4.29	--	3.34	3.19	4.00	.073
Av.	\$ 1.10	\$- .018	\$4.31	\$.55	\$3.55	\$3.21	\$4.05	\$.073
<u>1962</u>								
Jan.	\$ 1.10	\$- .12	\$4.17	\$ --	\$3.34	\$3.18	\$3.92	\$.073
Feb.	1.10	- .10	4.18	--	3.33	3.14	3.92	.073
Mar.	.90	- .10	4.09	--	3.32	3.06	3.85	.073
Apr.	.90	- .08	4.03	--	3.14	2.93	3.69*	.073
May	.90	- .04	3.91	--	3.09	2.90	3.55*	.070
June	.90	- .04	3.87	--	3.08	2.89	3.54*	.070
July	1.10	- .06	4.05	--	3.08	2.90	3.71*	.070
Aug.	1.30	- .04	4.29	--	3.07	2.90	3.96	.070
Sept.	1.30	- .04	4.30	--	3.10	2.91	4.00	.070
Oct.	1.30	- .04	4.32	--	3.09	2.96	4.04	.070
Nov.	1.30	+ .02	4.39	--	3.11	3.01	4.10	.070
Dec.	1.10	- .04	4.24	--	3.12	3.02	3.89	.070
Av.	\$ 1.10	\$- .05	\$4.15	\$ --	\$3.16	\$2.98	\$3.85	\$.071
<u>1963</u>								
Jan.	\$ 1.10	\$- .04	\$4.17	\$ --	\$3.13	\$3.03	\$3.87	\$.070
Feb.	1.10	- .10	4.10	--	3.13	3.05	3.83	.070
Mar.	.90	- .10	3.90	--	3.14	3.06	3.68	.070
Apr.	.90	- .08	3.91	--	3.13	3.02	3.67*	.070
May	.90	- .04	3.94	--	3.13	2.98	3.62*	.070
June	.90	- .02	3.95	--	3.14	2.96	3.58*	.070
July	1.10	- .02	4.16	--	3.13	2.98	3.83*	.070
Aug.	1.30	- .06	4.33	--	3.14	3.01	4.01	.070
Sept.	1.30	- .08	4.32	--	3.22	3.06	4.03	.072
Oct.	1.30	- .02	4.40	--	3.17	3.11	4.14	.070
Nov.	1.30	.00	4.45	--	3.16	3.13	4.17	.070
Dec.	1.10	+ .02	4.28	--	--	--	--	--
Av.	\$ 1.10	\$- .045	\$ 4.159	\$ --	--	--	--	--
<u>1964</u>								
Jan.	\$ 1.10	\$	\$	\$ --	\$	\$	\$	\$

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UTILIZATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF MILK

December 1963

	November 1963		November 1962	
	Reported Data		Audited Data	
	Product Pounds	Butterfat Pounds	Product Pounds	Butterfat Pounds
<u>CLASS I</u>				
Milk	10,013,536	361,148	10,068,469	365,769
2% Skim Milk	832,203	17,593	--	--
Skim Milk	95,542	122	138,821	67
Fortified Skim Milk	67,884	105	803,296	16,971
Buttermilk	86,316	890	73,735	702
Flavored Milk & Drink	533,768	17,464	552,448	17,173
Cereal Mixture	170,532	20,887	163,126	19,963
Coffee Cream	8,017	1,528	9,320	1,776
Whipping Cream	32,841	12,476	33,399	12,806
Sour Cream	11,404	2,226	12,372	2,441
Eggnog	33,928	2,105	33,799	2,078
Total Class I Utilization	11,885,971	436,544	11,888,785	439,746
Add: Class I Shrinkage	28,642	4,914	59,003	6,529
Subtract: Other Source Receipts	--	--	14,531	299
Subtract: Overage	4,359	--	--	--
Net Class I	11,910,254	441,458	11,933,257	445,976
<u>CLASS II</u>				
Used to Produce Cottage Cheese	277,643	9,592	365,300	9,529
Subtract: Other Source Receipts	--	--	6,081	29
Subtract: Overage	--	--	--	--
Net Class II	277,643	9,592	359,219	9,500
<u>CLASS III</u>				
Class III Products	2,843,023	132,944	3,159,544	152,018
Inventory Variation	134,138	5,460	(159,086)	(381)
Total Class III Utilization	2,977,161	138,404	3,000,458	151,637
Add: Class III Shrinkage	197,963	8,093	182,877	9,476
Subtract: Other Source Receipts	42,119	2,913	74,478	7,408
Subtract: Overage	4,992	121	24,051	646
Net Class III	3,128,013	143,463	3,084,806	153,059
<u>TOTAL PRODUCER RECEIPTS</u>	<u>15,315,910</u>	<u>594,513</u>	<u>15,377,282</u>	<u>608,535</u>

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

	November 1963	October 1963	November 1962
Average Daily Production	510,530#	504,145#	512,576#
November 1963 Production Compared With -	--	+ 1.27%	- 0.40%
Class I Daily Average	396,199#	397,999#	396,293#
November 1963 Sales Compared With -	--	- 0.45%	- 0.02%
Number of Producers	631	637	677
Daily Herd Production	809#	791#	757#
Av. Test of Producer Milk Received	3.8817%	3.7505%	3.9574%
Total Value Paid Producers	\$679,592.77	\$674,421.18	\$679,824.74
Av. Monthly Milk Check Per Farm	\$ 1,077.01	\$ 1,058.75	\$ 1,004.17
Av. Daily Milk Check Per Farm	\$ 35.90	\$ 34.15	\$ 33.47

RECEIPTS AND CLASSIFICATION OF PRODUCER MILK

CLASS I			CLASS II		CLASS III		Total
Year	Pounds	Percent	Pounds	Percent	Pounds	Percent	Producer Receipts
1954	7,272,928	70.4	--	--	3,058,935	29.6	10,331,863
1955	8,692,563	76.3	--	--	2,695,649	23.7	11,388,212
1956	10,125,716	75.4	--	--	3,302,901	24.6	13,428,617
1957	11,720,328	70.8	1,107,967	6.7	3,725,823	22.5	16,554,118
1958	13,517,112	73.0	1,310,449	7.1	3,685,335	19.9	18,512,896
1959	16,589,993	76.9	1,211,475	5.6	3,769,307	17.5	21,570,775
1960	17,498,173	74.3	1,458,651	6.3	4,634,073	19.4	23,590,897
1961							
Jan.	19,690,835	75.4	1,428,275	5.5	4,975,674	19.1	26,094,784
Feb.	17,464,772	75.9	1,421,718	6.2	4,129,407	17.9	23,015,897
Mar.	12,420,107	75.6	382,047	2.3	3,627,652	22.1	16,429,806
Apr.	11,484,078	73.4	318,468	2.0	3,848,568	24.6	15,651,114
May	11,792,418	67.0	321,915	1.8	5,481,802	31.2	17,596,135
June	9,830,977	63.8	313,085	2.0	5,264,837	34.2	15,408,899
July	10,613,606	70.4	675,908	4.5	3,790,475	25.1	15,079,989
Aug.	11,084,817	75.8	693,508	4.7	2,844,025	19.5	14,622,350
Sept.	10,923,499	77.5	326,563	2.3	2,837,715	20.2	14,087,777
Oct.	12,181,290	73.3	338,433	2.0	4,105,238	24.7	16,624,961
Nov.	11,955,642	76.4	289,822	1.9	3,393,575	21.7	15,639,039
Dec.	11,801,030	72.3	279,474	1.7	4,250,327	26.0	16,330,831
Av.	12,603,589	73.1	565,768	3.1	4,045,775	23.8	17,215,132
1962							
Jan.	12,231,118	73.2	330,249	2.0	4,148,001	24.8	16,709,368
Feb.	11,188,371	73.3	389,585	2.6	3,678,047	24.1	15,256,003
Mar.	12,417,545	73.9	483,171	2.9	3,899,565	23.2	16,800,281
Apr.	11,110,184	68.6	364,144	2.2	4,732,699	29.2	16,207,027
May	11,414,525	63.7	340,658	1.9	6,176,413	34.4	17,931,596
June	10,651,666	66.4	300,014	1.9	5,079,736	31.7	16,031,416
July	10,378,121	69.9	322,423	2.2	4,147,090	27.9	14,847,634
Aug.	11,018,946	75.7	418,211	2.9	3,110,285	21.4	14,547,442
Sept.	11,381,995	77.3	326,964	2.2	3,008,081	20.5	14,717,040
Oct.	12,434,200	79.2	341,404	2.2	2,931,224	18.6	15,706,828
Nov.	11,945,879	77.7	359,223	2.3	3,075,136	20.0	15,380,238
Dec.	11,637,393	71.2	237,660	1.5	4,471,118	27.3	16,346,171
Av.	11,484,162	72.5	351,142	2.2	4,038,116	25.3	15,873,420
1963							
Jan.	12,076,063	72.6	325,447	1.9	4,237,665	25.5	16,639,175
Feb.	10,884,996	72.7	268,859	1.8	3,810,435	25.5	14,964,290
Mar.	11,949,001	73.5	394,568	2.4	3,909,489	24.1	16,253,058
Apr.	11,471,912	71.5	270,792	1.7	4,291,808	26.8	16,034,512
May	11,528,781	65.6	307,140	1.7	5,741,907	32.7	17,577,828
June	9,977,855	62.3	282,019	1.8	5,755,624	35.9	16,015,498
July	10,647,953	71.2	387,449	2.6	3,924,904	26.2	14,960,306
Aug.	11,116,627	74.9	330,561	2.2	3,391,251	22.9	14,838,439
Sept.	11,165,000	76.5	331,423	2.3	3,088,561	21.2	14,584,984
Oct.	12,430,690	79.5	337,884	2.2	2,859,933	18.3	15,628,507
Nov.	11,910,254	77.8	277,643	1.8	3,128,013	20.4	15,315,910